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PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

EXECUTIVE ORDER

POWER-SITE RESTORATION NO. 486. PARTIAL REVOCATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER OF APRIL 28, 1917, CREATING POWER-SITE RESERVE NO. 621

Oregon

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the act of June 25, 1910, 36 Stat., 847, as amended by the act of August 24, 1912, 37 Stat., 497, the Executive Order of April 28, 1917, creating Power-Site Reserve No. 621, is hereby revoked as to the following-described lands:

WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN

T. 35 S., R. 11 W., Sec. 7, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,

February 8, 1938.

[No. 7807]

[F. R. Doc. 38-446; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:21 a. m.]

EXECUTIVE ORDER

POWER-SITE RESTORATION NO. 488. PARTIAL REVOCATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER OF DECEMBER 12, 1917, CREATING POWER-SITE RESERVE NO. 661

Oregon

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the act of June 25, 1910, ch. 421, 36 Stat. 847, as amended by the act of August 24, 1912, ch. 369, 37 Stat. 497, the Executive Order of December 12, 1917, creating Power-Site Reserve No. 661, is hereby revoked as to the following-described lands:

WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN

T. 10 S., R. 1 E.,
sec. 1, lot 5.

T. 11 S., R. 1 E.,
sec. 17, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
sec. 27, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 10 S., R. 2 E.,
sec. 15, S $\frac{1}{2}$;
sec. 17, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$;
sec. 23, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 9 S., R. 3 E.,
sec. 17, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 10 S., R. 3 E.,
sec. 19, lot 4, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

T. 12 S., R. 3 E.,
sec. 29, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,

February 8, 1938.

[No. 7808]

[F. R. Doc. 38-447; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:21 a. m.]

EXECUTIVE ORDER

AMENDING PARAGRAPH 13, SUBDIVISION III, SCHEDULE A OF THE CIVIL SERVICE RULES

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Civil Service Act (22 Stat. 403), it is ordered that paragraph 13, Subdivision III, Schedule A of the Civil Service Rules, excepting from competitive civil service requirements all persons actually employed in leprosy, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, yellow fever, and psittacosis investigation stations under the Public Health Service, Treasury Department, be, and it is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"13. Public Health Service: All persons actually employed in leprosy, yellow fever, and psittacosis investigation stations."

This amendment removes from the excepted class all positions at Public Health Service investigation stations the incumbents of which are engaged in Rocky Mountain spotted fever work. The incumbents of such positions may acquire an appropriate civil service status in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of Civil Service Rule II, as amended.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,

February 8, 1938.

[No. 7809]

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EXECUTIVE ORDER

REVOCATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER OF DECEMBER 9, 1875, ESTABLISHING THE BAIRD FISH HATCHERY ON M'CLOUD RIVER, CALIFORNIA

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the act of February 9, 1871, 16 Stat. 594, and the act of June 25, 1910, ch. 421, 36 Stat. 847, as amended by the act of August 24, 1912, ch. 369, 37 Stat. 497, the Executive Order of December 9, 1875, establishing the Baird Fish Hatchery on the McCloud River, California, is hereby revoked.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,

February 8, 1938.

[No. 7810]

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Public Health Service.

DESIGNATION OF THE BOUNDARIES OF THE QUARANTINE ANCHORAGE OFF GADSDEN POINT, IN TAMPA BAY, FLORIDA

Pursuant to the authority contained in section 10 of the Act of February 15, 1893, as added by the Act of March 3,



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1901, 31 Stat. 1086 (U. S. C., title 42, sec. 102), and section 1 of the Act of June 19, 1906, 34 Stat. 299 (U. S. C., title 42, sec. 103), the boundaries of the quarantine anchorage off Gadsden Point, in Tampa Bay, Florida, are hereby designated as follows:

An area to the eastward of a line bearing 341° (N. 19° W.) through a point X, said point being 830 yards on a line bearing 161° (S. 19° E.) from the front range of Tampa Bay Cut E; and to the northward of a line bearing 71° (N. 71° E.) through said point X; the above described area being a rectangle two (2) nautical miles long, along the line bearing 71° from point X, and 2000' wide northerly from this line. (Point X is marked by a second class can buoy.)

[SEAL]

ROBERT OLESEN,
Acting Surgeon General.

Approved, February 7, 1938.

STEPHEN B. GIBBONS,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 38-454; Filed, February 9, 1938; 12:27 p. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

[WR-B-101—Ariz., Supp. 5]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—ARIZONA, SUPPLEMENT 5

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Arizona,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supple-

¹ 2 F. R. 435 (DI).

ment 3, and Supplement 4, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[P. R. Doc. 38-426; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:54 p. m.]

[WR-B-101-Calif., Supp. 5]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—CALIFORNIA, SUPPLEMENT 5

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—California,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, and Supplement 4, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any

¹ 2 P. R. 441 (DI).

recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[P. R. Doc. 38-427; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:54 p. m.]

[WR-B-101—Colo., Supp. 6]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—COLORADO, SUPPLEMENT 6

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Colorado,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, Supplement 4, and Supplement 5, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may,

¹ 2 P. R. 448 (DI).

within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determination of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-428; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:54 p. m.]

[WR-B-101-Idaho, Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—IDAHO, SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Idaho,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) Productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county

committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-429; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:55 p. m.]

[WR-B-101-Kans., Supp. 7]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—KANSAS, SUPPLEMENT 7

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Kansas,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, Supplement 4, Supplement 5, and Supplement 6, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior

¹ 2 F. R. 454 (DI).² 2 F. R. 460 (DI).

to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-430; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:55 p. m.]

[WR-B-101-Mont., Supp. 5]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—MONTANA, SUPPLEMENT 5

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Montana, as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, and Supplement 4, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

¹ 2 F. R. 473 (DI).

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-431; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:55 p. m.]

[WR-B-101—Pondera County, Mont., Supp. 2]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—PONDERA COUNTY, MONTANA, SUPPLEMENT 2

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Pondera County, Montana, as amended by Supplement 1, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

² 2 F. R. 1558 (DI).

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-439; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:57 p. m.]

[WR-B-101-Nev., Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—NEVADA, SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Nevada,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depletion base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the county committee he may within 15 days after such decision appeal in writing to the State committee; provided, however, that any such person may so appeal at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the county committee.

"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

¹ 2 F. R. 476 (DI).

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

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[WR-B-101-N. Mex. Supp. 7]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION
BULLETIN NO. 101—NEW MEXICO, SUPPLEMENT 7

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—New Mexico,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, Supplement 4, Supplement 5, and Supplement 6, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

"The county committee shall notify such person of its decision within 15 days after receipt of such written request for reconsideration; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the county committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the receipt of such person's request for reconsideration.

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"The State committee shall notify such person of its decision within 30 days after the receipt of the appeal; provided, however, that any time prior to March 1, 1938, the State committee shall notify such person of its decision notwithstanding that more than 30 days have elapsed since the receipt of such appeal.

"If such person is dissatisfied with the decision of the State committee, he may within 15 days thereafter request the Regional Director to review the decision of the State committee; provided, however, that such person may so

¹ 2 F. R. 485 (DI).

request the Regional Director at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since the decision of the State committee.

"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

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[WR-B-101-N. Dak., Supp. 5]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—NORTH DAKOTA, SUPPLEMENT 5

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—North Dakota,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, and Supplement 4, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the

terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-434; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:56 p. m.]

[WR-B-101—Oreg., Supp. 5]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—OREGON, SUPPLEMENT 5

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Oregon,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, Supplement 3, and Supplement 4, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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"The determinations of the the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

¹ 2 F. R. 491 (DI).

¹ 2 F. R. 497 (DI).

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

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[WR-B-101-Utah, Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—UTAH, SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Utah,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committees.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) Productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

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[WR-B-101—Weber & Davis Counties, Utah, Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—WEBER & DAVIS COUNTIES, UTAH,
SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Weber & Davis Counties, Utah,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. *Appeals from determinations of county committee.*—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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"The determinations of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-440; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:57 p. m.]

[WR-B-101—Wash., Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—WASHINGTON, SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domes-

¹ 2 F. R. 507 (DI).

¹ 2 F. R. 859 (DI).

the Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Washington,¹ as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1 Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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"The determination of the Regional Director in any appeal case as to the facts, or as to the application of the terms and conditions of the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program when in conformity with the provisions of said program as approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, shall be final and binding upon all parties."

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-437; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:57 p. m.]

[WR—B-101—Wyo., Supp. 4]

1937 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM—WESTERN REGION

BULLETIN NO. 101—WYOMING, SUPPLEMENT 4

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture under Section 8 of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, Western Region Bulletin No. 101—Wyoming,² as amended by Supplement 1, Supplement 2, and

¹ 2 F. R. 514 (DI).

² 2 F. R. 520 (DI).

Supplement 3, is further amended by this supplement as follows:

Part IX, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. Appeals from determinations of county committee.—Any person who considers himself aggrieved by any recommendation or determination of the county committee with respect to: (a) soil-depleting base; (b) productivity index; (c) grazing capacity; (d) the division of payment; or (e) any other matter affecting the right to or the amount of his payment with respect to the farm or ranching unit may, within 15 days after notice thereof is forwarded to or available to him, request the county committee in writing to reconsider its recommendation or determination; provided, however, that any such person may file such request at any time prior to March 1, 1938, notwithstanding that more than 15 days have elapsed since notice of the county committee's recommendation or determination was forwarded to or available to him.

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Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of February, 1938. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-438; Filed, February 8, 1938; 12:57 p. m.]

Bureau of Animal Industry.

NOTICE

FEBRUARY 8, 1938.

To E. T. YORK, Doing business as Kearney Livestock Commission Company, Kearney, Nebr.

Notice is hereby given that after inquiry, as provided by Section 302 (b) of the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921 (7 U. S. C. Sec. 202 (b)), it has been ascertained by me as Secretary of Agriculture of the United States that the stockyard known as Kearney Livestock Commission Company, at Kearney, State of Nebraska, is subject to the provisions of said Act.

The attention of stockyard owners, market agencies, dealers, and other persons concerned is directed to Sections 303

and 306 (7 U. S. C. Secs. 203 and 207) and other pertinent provisions of said Act and the rules and regulations issued thereunder by the Secretary of Agriculture.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-441; Filed, February 8, 1938; 2:15 p. m.]

Farm Security Administration.

DESIGNATION OF COUNTIES (ARIZONA)

FEBRUARY 8, 1938.

Pursuant to the provisions of Title I of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, and Section II 3 of Administrative Order 230 of the Farm Security Administration, issued thereunder, and upon the basis of the recommendations of the Arizona State Farm Security Advisory Committee, the following county is hereby designated as that in which loans, pursuant to said Title, shall be made for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938:

Maricopa.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-444; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:14 a. m.]

DESIGNATION OF COUNTIES (CALIFORNIA)

FEBRUARY 8, 1938.

Pursuant to the provisions of Title I of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, and Section II 3 of Administrative Order 230 of the Farm Security Administration, issued thereunder, and upon the basis of the recommendations of the California State Farm Security Advisory Committee, the following counties are hereby designated as those in which loans, pursuant to said Title, shall be made for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938:

San Bernardino; San Joaquin.

[SEAL]

H. A. WALLACE,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 38-445; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:14 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation.

Pursuant to the authority of Section 4405 of the Revised Statutes, the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervising Inspectors, consisting of R. S. Field, Director; Charles Lyons; George Fried; Eugene Carlson; Cecil Bean; Harry Layfield; Chester Willett; and William Fisher, was held in the hearing room of the auditorium, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C., from January 19 to January 27, inclusive, 1938.

The following business was transacted by the Board and was approved by the Secretary of Commerce:

Adopted the amendments made by the Executive Committee at its meeting on May 6, 1937 relating to approval of miscellaneous items of equipment, which amendments were published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, Volume 2, No. 101, dated May 26, 1937, and the Bureau's Bulletin of June, 1937.

Adopted amendments made by the Executive Committee at its meeting held October 11 to October 13, inclusive, 1937, relating to amendments to the Tanker Regulations and approval of miscellaneous items of equipment, which amendments were published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, Volume 2, No. 225, dated November 19, 1937, and the Bureau's Bulletin of December, 1937.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

EXAMINATION OF BOILER STOP VALVES AND MOUNTINGS

[Resolution No. 4084]

Resolved, That under authority of Sections 4405 and 4418, R. S., Rule II, Section I-18-5, Paragraph (a), General Rules and Regulations, as amended by Resolution No. 4084, Monthly Bulletin of February, 1937, be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

I-18-5 (a). *Examination of boiler stop valves and mountings.*—It shall be the duty of the Local Inspectors to require stop valves and mountings on boilers to be opened up every four years at the time of annual inspection or at the next regular drydocking period thereafter. Mountings and attachments shall be lifted at least once in every eight years to determine the condition of the stud bolts connecting the mountings to the boiler. These examinations may be made at intermediate periods if there is any evidence to indicate that defects have started or excessive corrosion is existent. A record of the inspection of mountings and attachments shall be made on form 840-B and a notation made on the certificate of inspection, this notation to be carried on each certificate until the next period for the regular examination arrives.

ADJUSTED SERVICE PRESSURES

[Resolution No. 4279]

Resolved, That under authority of Sections 4405, 4418, and 4433, R. S., Rules I and II, General Rules and Regulations, as amended by the Fifty-first Supplement, Edition of January 1, 1935, be and are amended as follows:

Delete the note at the bottom of page 33 and the table at the top of page 34, immediately following Section M-17-11.

Delete the following words, in Italics, immediately following the words "Table P-3" in Section P-19-8 (d); page 105:

"Dimensions of steel companion flanges for maximum steam service pressures of 150 pounds per square inch (gage) at a temperature of 500° F. (Note 1 immediately following this table, reading 'The alternate ratings of 150 and 100 pounds per square inch at 500° and 750° F., respectively, are applicable to the full range of sizes given and to a single set of patterns over this size range.) and 100 pounds per square inch (gage) at 750° F.'"

Delete the following words, in Italics, immediately following the words "Table P-4" in Section P-19-8 (d), page 105:

"Dimensions of steel companion flanges for maximum steam service pressure of 300 pounds per square inch (gage) at a temperature of 750° F."

Delete the following words, in Italics, immediately following the words "Table P-5" in Section P-19-8 (d), page 106:

"Dimensions of steel companion flanges for maximum steam service pressure of 400 pounds per square inch (gage) at a temperature of 750° F."

Delete the following words, in Italics, immediately following the words "Table P-6" in Section P-19-8 (d), page 106:

"Dimensions of steel companion flanges for maximum steam service pressure of 600 pounds per square inch (gage) at a temperature of 750° F."

Delete the following words, in Italics, immediately following the words "Table P-7" in Section P-18-8 (d), page 107:

"Dimensions of steel companion flanges for maximum steam service pressure of 900 pounds per square inch (gage) at a temperature of 750° F."

Insert a new table to be known as "Table P-7-A" in Rule II, Section P-19-8 (d), immediately after Table P-7 on page 107, which will read as follows:

TABLE P-7-A.—Adjusted Marine Pressure Ratings for Steel Valves, Flanges, and Fittings

FOR STEAM SERVICES OTHER THAN BOILER FEED-WATER AND BLOW-OFF PIPING

Marine steam ratings at 750° F.	Pounds per square inch							
	80	125	250	350	525	800	1,350	2,250
	Adjusted steam service pressures							
Service temperatures:								
450° F.	130	180	325	455	680	1,040	1,755	2,925
500° F.	125	170	310	435	655	1,000	1,685	2,815
550° F.	115	160	300	420	630	960	1,620	2,700
600° F.	105	150	285	400	600	920	1,550	2,590
650° F.	100	140	275	385	575	880	1,485	2,475
700° F.	90	130	260	365	550	840	1,415	2,405
750° F.	80	125	250	350	525	800	1,350	2,250
800° F.	70	105	205	290	435	665	1,125	1,875
850° F.	55	85	165	235	350	530	900	1,500
FOR EXTERNAL FEED-WATER AND BLOW-OFF PIPING:								
Saturated steam temperatures:								
450° F.			270	380	565	865	1,460	2,435
500° F.					545	835	1,405	2,345
550° F.						800	1,350	2,250
600° F.							1,290	2,160
650° F.								2,060

¹ These marine steam pressure ratings given at 750° F. correspond in order to the following A. S. A. Steam ratings at 750° F., 100, 150, 300, 400, 600, 900, 1,500, 2,500.

² In no case shall it be permissible to use valves, fittings, or flanges for feed and blow-off service which have a lower pressure rating than that required for steam service at 750° F.

ALARM BELLS AND LOUDSPEAKER SYSTEMS

[Resolution No. 3865-A]

Resolved, That under authority of Sections 4405, 4417 and 4488, R. S., as amended, Section 20, Rule V, Ocean and Coastwise, as amended by the Fifty-third Supplement, be and hereby is amended by deleting Section 20 and inserting the following in its stead:

ALARM BELLS AND LOUDSPEAKER SYSTEMS

20. *Alarm bells.*—All vessels over 100 gross tons shall have all sleeping accommodations equipped with a sufficient number of alarm bells so located as to warn all the occupants. The alarm bells, if electric, shall be operated from an open switch from the pilot house or bridge. The bells shall be of such size, character, and construction as to provide an alarm throughout the spaces for which they are provided.

Loudspeaker systems (where required).—All passenger vessels the construction of which is begun after January 1, 1937, and certificated to carry 1,000 persons or more including officers and crew, and all existing passenger vessels on which lifeboats are stowed more than 100 feet from the navigating bridge, shall be equipped with a loudspeaker system which shall enable an officer on the bridge to broadcast separately or collectively to the following stations:

1. *Lifeboat stations, port and starboard.* (The deck or decks on which lifeboats are stowed and from which they are launched.)
2. *Embarkation deck, port and starboard.* (The deck or decks, designated by construction design or by the vessel's station bill, used for the embarkation of passengers and crew into lifeboats. If lifeboat stations are used for embarkation purposes, this requirement to be omitted.)
3. *Main quarters for crew.* (The quarters of the emergency squad, deck crew, and stewards assigned to passenger quarters.)
4. *Public spaces.* (The spaces designated by the vessel's station bill where passengers and crew are to assemble in an emergency.)

Speakers, designated by the Bureau, at lifeboat stations and on embarkation deck or decks, shall be arranged for two-way conversation with the bridge.

The Director of the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation may, in special cases, exempt passenger vessels having a small number of especially accessible lifeboats stowed more than 100 feet from the bridge. However, no existing passenger vessel having lifeboats stowed more than 100 feet from the navigating bridge and certificated to carry more than 200 persons including officers and crew, shall be exempted from this requirement.

General Specifications

(a) The loudspeaker system shall be of a type embodying rugged construction for marine use and simplicity of operation. The entire system shall be controlled from a single location on the bridge.

(b) The type of system, method of operation, and installation to be as approved by the Bureau. Wiring to be of a type and character approved for new construction. Provision shall be made to maintain the operating voltage required for the system under conditions of variations in voltage up to 20 percent plus or minus in either the regular or emergency power supply. The system shall be so designed and installed that grounds, short or open circuits occurring at any point in the distribution system will disable not more than one loudspeaker and shall not reduce the volume on the remaining speaker more than 3 decibels. The amplifier system shall be so designed that grounds, short or open circuits or any part of the system will not cause overloading which will reduce the volume output more than 3 decibels or noticeably affect the quality of reproduction. The system shall be equipped with a call or attention signal, which shall be a distinctive note of about 1,500 cycles frequency. The frequency of the system shall be approximately 100/4,000 cycles; and to insure even reproduction of voice over this range, automatic volume control (not expanding type) shall be provided. Distortion not to exceed 10 percent. For A. C. systems duplicate motor generator sets shall be provided and have automatic transfer between same. Indicating lights shall be installed in the control cabinet for indicating when a two-way speaker desires communication with the bridge. All metal parts for cabinets, panels, transformers cases, shields, and any other metal parts subject to corrosion shall be cadmium-plated or protected by other suitable means, the method of which is to be approved by the Bureau. Soldered joints are not to be used except where absolutely necessary and must be made with rosin flux and coated with an insulating varnish that is not subject to the action of salt water. Speakers in outside locations to be mounted in metal boxes or cases with suitable baffles, so constructed that they are protected against water but open for sound emission. Speakers in inside locations to be mounted in metal boxes or cases for protection, with latticed front for sound emission. All speakers to be of the dynamic cone type, with permanent magnetic field.

Use and operation.—The system shall be used at the discretion of the master and shall function entirely independent of any public address or music distribution system, and the system shall not be used for entertainment purposes.

Approval

(a) Plans, including drawings of equipment, wiring diagrams, and detailed technical specifications, shall be submitted to the Bureau for comment and approval.

(b) All items of equipment, including amplifiers, microphones, loudspeakers, and control apparatus, shall be of a type that has been tested and approved for such service by the Bureau. Before the loudspeaker system fitted on a particular vessel is approved, it shall be submitted to tests to be conducted by representatives of the Bureau.

Spare parts.—Vessels shall be provided with a complete set of installation plans and operating instructions and an adequate supply of spare parts to include at least the follow-

ing: 1 spare microphone, 100% vacuum tubes of all types used. A reasonable supply of all damageable items, including relays, condensers, and loudspeaking units of each type.

Tests.—The complete system shall be given an operating test at least once every week. These tests shall be made by a licensed officer of the vessel and the condition of the equipment entered in the vessel's log.

BULKHEADS

[Resolution No. 4262]

Resolved, That under authority of Sections 4405, 4417, and 4426, R. S., Section 2, Rule VII, Great Lakes, Bays, Sounds and Lakes other than the Great Lakes, and Rivers, be and hereby are amended by deletion of present Section 2 and insertion in its stead the following:

2. Every new mechanically propelled ferry vessel carrying passengers for hire shall have a sufficient number of transverse watertight bulkheads so that the vessel will remain afloat and have positive stability in the event any one main compartment is flooded.

A forepeak or collision bulkhead shall be fitted and located not less than 5 percent of the length of the ship, and not more than 10 feet plus 5 percent of the length of the ship from the bow, at load water line.

One bulkhead shall be fitted at the forward end of the machinery space (which includes boiler space) and one bulkhead shall be fitted at the after end of the machinery space. Other transverse bulkheads shall be so located as to meet the above requirements of subdivision and stability.

Main transverse bulkheads shall not be stepped, but may be recessed. No recess shall be fitted nearer the vessel's side than one-fifth of the vessel's beam amidships measured at right angles to the center line at the level of the load water line on which the subdivision is based. Bulkheads shall extend to a deck whose distance above the load water line is sufficient to enable the subdivision and stability requirements to be met with a fair margin of safety.

If the distance between two adjacent main transverse watertight bulkheads is less than 10 feet plus 2 percent of the vessel's load water line, only one of these bulkheads shall be regarded as forming a boundary of a main compartment.

In lieu of bulkheading, the Bureau will allow alternative arrangements wherein sufficient buoyancy is supplied by independent air tanks or other means, to float the vessel when flooded while fully loaded. Such arrangements must be approved by the Bureau in each instance.

Existing mechanically propelled ferry vessels carrying passengers for hire operating over routes where the length of trip between terminals exceeds 10 minutes shall comply with the above requirements for new vessels, unless it can be shown by the owner to the satisfaction of the Bureau that their application is impracticable and unreasonable. (Effective January 1, 1939.)

APPROVAL OF MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT

[Resolution No. 1511-91]

Resolved, That under authority of Sections 4405 and 4491, R. S., the following equipment be and hereby is approved for use on vessels subject to inspection:

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

2505. Elkhart 2½-gallon foam fire extinguisher, submitted by the Elkhart Brass Manufacturing Company, of Elkhart, Indiana.

4088. Buffalo-Super 1-quart and 1½-quart Carbon Tetrachloride Fire Extinguishers, submitted by the Buffalo Fire Appliance Corporation, of Buffalo, New York.

4088. Buffalo 2½-gallon Pump Type Calcium Chloride Fire Extinguisher, submitted by the Buffalo Fire Appliance Corporation, of Buffalo, New York.

2523. Safety Release Device for Pyrene 2½-gallon Foam Fire Extinguisher, submitted by the Pyrene Manufacturing Company, Newark, N. J.

APPARATUS FOR EXTINGUISHMENT OF FIRE IN COMPARTMENTS OF VESSELS

4103. Fog Nozzle, 1½-inch fixed type spray nozzle, Type B and Type 3A, submitted by the Fog Nozzle Company, 1520 East Sauson Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

4102. Akr-o-mist 1½-inch fixed type spray nozzle, submitted by the Akron Brass Manufacturing Company, Wooster, Ohio.

4208. Spraco 1½-inch fixed type spray nozzle, submitted by the Spray Engineering Company, 114 Central Street, Summerville, Mass.

4125. Alfco-spray 1½-inch fixed type spray nozzle, submitted by the American-La France Foamite Industries, Inc., Elmira, New York.

3744. Mulsifyre Sprinkler System, submitted by the Grinnell Manufacturing Company, Providence, R. I.

LIFE PRESERVERS

4204. Kapok-filled Life Preserver Vest, Nos. AV 1010, AV 1011, AV 1012 and AV 1013, submitted by the Cluff Fabric Products, Inc., New York, N. Y.

3266-III. Expanded Rubber Life Preserver Vest, submitted by the American Pad & Textile Co., of Greenfield, O.

HAND DISTRESS SIGNALS

4209. Hand Distress Signals, manufactured by the Pain's Fireworks Display Company, New York, New York.

WATER LIGHTS

4064. Riner's Electric Water Light, submitted by the War Department.

FLASHLIGHTS

2700-III. "Eveready" Automatic Spotlight No. 8351, submitted by the National Carbon Company, New York, N. Y.

LIFEBOAT LOWERING DEVICES

3160. "Schat's Skates", submitted by Captain M. Ruygrok, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, N. Y., representing Schat Patents.

LIFE BUOYS

2278. Foster Balsa Wood Ring Life Buoy, submitted by the Foster Manufacturing Company, 430 Notre Dame Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

LIFEBOAT GEAR

4218. Welin Hand-Operated Propelling Device, submitted by the Welin Davit and Boat Corporation, of Newark, New Jersey. (Approved subject to final tests.)

3697. Allen Hand-Operated Propelling Device, submitted by the Allen Manual Motor Company, 695 Castro St., San Francisco, California.

[SEAL]

CHARLES LYONS,

U. S. Supervising Inspector, 1st District.

GEO. FRIED,

U. S. Supervising Inspector, 2nd District.

EUGENE CARLSON,

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U. S. Supervising Inspector, 4th District.

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U. S. Supervising Inspector, 5th District.

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U. S. Supervising Inspector, 6th District.

WILLIAM FISHER,

U. S. Supervising Inspector, 7th District.

R. S. FIELD,

Director, Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation.

Approved:

DANIEL C. ROPER,

Secretary of Commerce.

[F. R. Doc. 38-455; Filed, February 9, 1938; 12:36 p. m.]

FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK BOARD.

Home Owners' Loan Corporation.

AMENDING THE LEGAL CHAPTER OF THE MANUAL CHANGING THE REGULATIONS FOR PAYMENT OF TAXES WITH RESPECT TO EVIDENCE REQUIRED FROM BORROWERS AND REPORTS OF DISBURSEMENTS AND STATUS OF TAXES

Be it resolved, That pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933 (48 Stat. 128, 129) as amended by Sections 1 and 13 of the Act of April 27, 1934 (48 Stat. 643-647) and particularly by Sections 4-a and 4-k of said Act as amended, Sections 608 and 613 of the Manual are amended respectively to read as follows:

SEC. 608. (a) The General Counsel may waive the provisions of lien instruments which require the forwarding of tax receipts to the Corporation.

(b) The Regional Counsel shall, as promptly as is reasonably possible and in a manner approved by the General Counsel and the General Manager, refer to the Loan Service Division for servicing as provided in the Loan Service Chapter, all cases of mortgagors or vendees on whose properties taxes, assessments, or other governmental levies or charges, or ground rents, are unpaid as revealed by searches of the public records or information received from other sources; provided, however, that no case shall be referred to the Loan Service Division in which it appears from the tax search that by reason of tax moratoria or otherwise payment of the tax can not be enforced.

(c) Upon request of the Loan Service Division the Regional Counsel shall furnish any information from the tax records of the Legal Department that may be of assistance to that Division.

SEC. 613. (a) The General Counsel shall render a monthly report to the members of the Board and to the General Manager showing the amounts paid out from funds of the Corporation for taxes, assessments, ground rents or other levies or charges, including interest and penalties, on the properties owned by the Corporation and properties of mortgagors and vendees.

(b) Annually, upon completion of the general tax search for a State or Region, the General Counsel shall render a report to the members of the Board and to the General Manager showing the tax status of properties owned by the Corporation and of properties of mortgagors and vendees.

[SEAL]

R. L. NAGLE, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-450; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:37 a. m.]

AMENDING SECTION 206 OF CHAPTER II OF THE CONSOLIDATED MANUAL RELATING TO THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE LOAN SERVICE DIVISION WITH RESPECT TO DELINQUENT TAXES AND TO APPROVING PAYMENT OF TAX ITEMS IN CERTAIN CASES

Be it resolved, That pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933 (48 Stat. 128, 129) as amended by Sections 1 and 13 of the Act of April 27, 1934 (48 Stat. 643-647) and particularly by Sections 4-a and 4-k of said Act as amended, Section 206 of the Manual is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 206. (a) The Loan Service Division shall be responsible for causing mortgagors and vendees to pay delinquent taxes, assessments, or other governmental levies or charges, or ground rents, notice of which shall be received from the Legal Department, as provided in the Manual.

(b) Where the case is not to be handled as an extension and the General Manager considers it in the best interest of the Corporation, he may approve the payment of delinquent taxes, assessments, ground rents or other levies or charges where analysis of the case reasonably shows that the mortgagor or vendee

(1) is at present unable to pay such items and maintain his account in good standing, and

(2) can repay such advance within a reasonable time and in any event in a period not exceeding the remaining life of the loan or other contract, and

(3) can maintain his account in good standing and make prompt payment of insurance premiums, taxes, assessments, or other levies and charges, or ground rents as they become due and payable.

Where so approved, the General Counsel is authorized to act thereon without further investigation and may direct payment of such items or may authorize the Regional Counsel to so act in such cases and to direct payment of such items.

Regional Managers may, under procedure and limitations prescribed by the General Manager with the approval of the General Counsel, approve the payment of such items in such cases.

[SEAL]

R. L. NAGLE, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-451; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:37 a. m.]

AMENDING THE GENERAL CHAPTER (CHAPTER I) OF THE MANUAL DETERMINATION AND DISPOSITION OF CORPORATION LOSSES

Be it resolved, That pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933 (48 Stat. 128, 129) as amended by Sections 1 and 13 of the Act of April 27, 1934 (48 Stat. 643-647), and particularly by Sections 4-a and 4-k of said Act as amended, the consolidated Manual be amended by adding to the General Chapter (Chapter I) a new section to become effective immediately upon its adoption and to be appropriately numbered and placed in Chapter I when completed, said new section to read as follows:

SEC. —. In all cases where provision is not otherwise made as to whether the Corporation has sustained a loss, the General Manager and the General Counsel are authorized to make such determination and where no provision has otherwise been made for the final disposition of such loss the General Manager and the General Counsel are authorized to direct final disposition thereof: *Provided*, That in cases exceeding \$50.00 the concurring approval of three Members of the Board shall be required. The Comptroller shall reflect all such final dispositions on the books of the Corporation. The General Manager and General Counsel are also authorized to determine the responsibility for losses not in excess of \$50.00 and what action, if any, shall be taken against parties responsible therefor, and with the concurring approval of three Members of the Board are also authorized to determine the responsibility for losses in excess of \$50.00.

The authority herein conferred, up to the prescribed \$50.00 limitation, may be exercised also by the Regional, State or District Manager and the respective Regional, State or District Counsel under procedure and limitations prescribed by the General Manager, with the approval of the General Counsel.

Be it further resolved, That the resolution adopted February 23, 1937, relating to loss due to inadvertence or failure on the part of fee personnel or employees of the Corporation to comply with the prescribed regulations, is hereby revoked.

[SEAL]

R. L. NAGLE, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-452; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:38 a. m.]

AMENDING TREASURER'S CHAPTER OF THE MANUAL METHOD OF GRANTING RELIEF TO OWNERS OF LOST, STOLEN, DESTROYED, MUTILATED OR DEFACED SECURITIES AND MUTILATED OR DEFACED COUPONS

Be it resolved, That pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933 (48 Stat. 128, 129) as amended by Sections 1 and 13 of the Act of April 27, 1934, and particularly by subsections (a) and (k) of Section 4 of said Act as amended, Section 707¹ of Chapter VII of the Consolidated Manual is hereby amended to read as follows:

(a) The Statutes of the United States, now or hereafter in force, governing relief on account of the loss, theft, de-

¹ F. R. 1059.

struction, mutilation or defacement of United States securities, and the regulations of the Treasury Department, now or hereafter in force, governing the issuance of substitute securities or the payment of lost, stolen, destroyed, mutilated or defaced securities and mutilated or defaced coupons of the United States, so far as applicable and as necessarily modified to relate to securities and coupons of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, are hereby adopted as the regulations of the Corporation for the issuance of substitute securities or the payment of lost, stolen, destroyed, mutilated or defaced securities and mutilated or defaced coupons of the Corporation. The Secretary of the Treasury, or the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, is hereby authorized and empowered, on behalf of the Corporation, to approve applications for relief and bonds of indemnity, and to issue substitute securities or make payment of securities and coupons of the Corporation, in accordance with the provisions of this resolution. The Secretary, the Under Secretary, and any Assistant Secretary of the Treasury are hereby severally authorized to waive in their discretion on behalf of the Corporation such regulations of the Corporation in any particular case where a similar waiver would be allowed with respect to United States securities; and the Secretary of the Treasury, or the Acting Secretary of the Treasury, is hereby authorized and empowered, as agent of the Corporation, to administer the foregoing provisions for relief and the regulations with respect thereto, and to delegate such authority at his discretion to other officers and employees of the United States Treasury Department.

(b) For the purpose of this resolution, the term "securities of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation" means all direct obligations of the Corporation issued pursuant to law for valuable consideration and which by their terms bear interest, or are issued on a discount basis, and includes (but is not limited to) bonds and interim receipts issued for any such security.

(c) The Treasurer of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation is hereby authorized and empowered for and in the name of the Corporation to settle with the Treasury Department all matters of detail concerning the administration of the foregoing provisions.

Be it further resolved, That all actions heretofore taken under the provisions of Section 707 of Chapter VII of the Consolidated Manual are hereby expressly ratified and confirmed.

[SEAL]

R. L. NAGLE, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-453; Filed, February 9, 1938; 11:38 a. m.]

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION.

Commissioners: Clyde L. Seavey, Acting Chairman; Claude L. Draper, Basil Manly, John W. Scott.

[Project No. 405]

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSQUEHANNA POWER COMPANY, AND PHILADELPHIA ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, LICENSEES

ORDER FIXING DATE OF HEARING

FEBRUARY 1, 1938.

It appearing to the Commission that the matters involved in the determination of the actual legitimate original cost

of the initial Conowingo project No. 405, The Susquehanna Power Company and Philadelphia Electric Power Company, Licensees, are now at issue;

The Commission orders that: A public hearing on said matters be held on March 21, 1938, at 10 a. m. in the hearing room of the Commission, Hurley-Wright Building, 1800 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

By the Commission.

LEON M. FUQUAY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-442; Filed, February 9, 1938; 9:42 a. m.]

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1938.

[File No. 47-18]

IN THE MATTER OF SOUTHERN NATURAL GAS COMPANY

NOTICE OF AND ORDER FOR HEARING

An application pursuant to sections 10 (a) (2) and 10 (a) (3) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, having been duly filed with this Commission by Southern Natural Gas Company, a registered holding company, for approval of the acquisition by applicant, from Mississippi Power and Light Company, of four branch pipelines, rights of way and appurtenances thereto, extending from applicant's main line to Yazoo City, Kosciusko, Durant and Goodman, Mississippi, for a stated consideration of \$97,378.18;

It is ordered, That a hearing on such matter be held on February 25, 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Securities and Exchange Building, 1778 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D. C. On such day the hearing-room clerk in Room 1102 will advise as to the room where such hearing will be held. At such hearing, if in respect of any declaration, cause shall be shown why such declaration shall become effective.

It is further ordered, That Charles S. Lobingier, or any other officer or officers of the Commission designated by it for that purpose shall preside at the hearings in such matter. The officer so designated to preside at any such hearing is hereby authorized to exercise all powers granted to the Commission under section 18 (c) of said Act and to continue or postpone said hearing from time to time or to a date thereafter to be fixed by such presiding officer.

Notice of such hearing is hereby given to such declarant or applicant and to any other person whose participation in such proceeding may be in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. It is requested that any person desiring to be heard or to be admitted as a party to such proceeding shall file a notice to that effect with the Commission on or before February 21, 1938.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 38-443; Filed, February 9, 1938; 10:57 a. m.]